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TWO WAYS OF WOOING

Stoop and pick up a handful of shells from that broad path which you have been mistakenly regarding as a gravel walk. If you are one of the learned ones of the earth those small mollusks may teach you that you are near the shores of the Gulf of Mexico, and, for aught that I know of such matters, may inform you that you are on the coast of the state of Mississippi.

Now, if you add the pursuit of literature to that of science, look well around you; for here that most valuable literary raw material, local color of the southern type, has been most lavishly poured out. Here are magnolias, oleanders and all other southern trees and shrubs. There, in that arch of confederate jasmine, two mocking birds have their habitat. They have been fighting since daybreak with every living thing that has approached them; but you need not put that in your article.

Behind you is a broad galleried, deep roofed mansion of the most approved antebellum architecture, and before you is the bluest water in the world—credo me experto who have seen the Adriatic and the Caribbean seas. Its beauty is marred by long dilapidated piers, but you will not complain of them when the mosquitoes swarm in from the Louisiana marshes and drive you out into the sea breeze.

From where you stand you can see through the great hall of the house, quite through to where the pine forest stands out against the sky. It was not many months ago that a party of three—to me at that time a most interesting party—made that hall their assembly room and temple for their household gods. Indeed, it was often their battleground, for in the long leisure of summer days the coating of conventionality in talk wears rather thin, and behind that coating are often concealed the most startling beliefs in persons of the most unimpeached respectability. At such times the sole male member of the trio was apt to begin the discussion with smooth appeals to experience, policy and knowledge of the world, which happened to be his particular divinities, and like other priests of Baal, he sometimes appealed long, loudly and in vain.

It was after one of the longest and warmest of these debates that all three sat ostensibly deep in their morning's mail. John Dunn, the lone champion of the commonplace, tore through a small pile of letters with an air of mysterious importance, which he had been early taught it was necessary to assume in order to attain business success. As he had attained that great and noble desideratum, and in no small degree, he might be fairly credited with a knowledge of the necessary methods. One of his fair antagonists, Constance Alston, who had played a heated, enthusiastic and altogether minor part in the discussion, had forgotten the whole matter in a bulky letter addressed in a broad masculine hand.

Presently she looked up. "What's today—the day of the month I mean?" she asked. And then, without waiting for an answer: "Fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth. They will be here today. He writes that he will be here tomorrow—that is today of course; and he is going to bring a friend with him." She buried herself again in the letter and emerged with further intelligence: "His friend's name—I am not sure how to pronounce it Alice," she said, turning to her cousin, the last of the trio, with a mischievous look, "how do you pronounce B-e-a-l-l?"

If her object was to create either surprise or confusion on the part of her cousin the attempt was a flat failure, for that young lady answered imperturbably:

"Bell of course. You know the name well enough. You can hardly have forgotten him since last winter."

"Was he a Johns Hopkins man—a fellow?" asked Dunn with interest.

"Yes, we knew him at Baltimore," answered Alice.

"Well, he's stopped all that," said Dunn, presumably referring to the pursuit of knowledge by means of fellowships. "One of his rich relatives died this spring, and he's pretty well fixed."

"I suppose we know all about him now," said Alice, a trifle wearily, and rising she strolled out to the edge of the wide gallery, where she stood pensively looking out, a clear cut figure against the blaze of light from without.

"That's a graceful picture," said Constance warmly.

"Yes, she's a very pretty young girl," answered Dunn indifferently. He proved the genuineness of his indifference by carrying on a very abstracted conversation with Constance for a few moments, and then wandering out with a careful indefiniteness to where Alice stood. To a sensitive man the manner in which he was received would have been equivalent to a verbal denunciation as an unpleasant interruption, but Mr. Dunn's many enemies attributed much of his success to his seldom making such discoveries.

Half a day later and Constance and her correspondent had resolved themselves into a faint splash of oars and a murmur of voices scarcely audible from the pier where Alice was burdened with an embarrassing wealth of companionship. The whilom learned fellow was not obtrusively apparent in a quiet young man leisurely half reclining in the bow of a small skiff of which Alice held the oars. Dunn stood upon the steps leading down to the water, looking despondently at a dark gap between himself and the boat.

"I can't bring the boat any closer on account of these posts," said Alice. "You can't drown anyhow," she added scornfully.

The Persians, I believe, have a saying that contempt will pierce through the shell of a tortoise. Dunn made the attempt with the success which usually attends leaps in the dark. There was a sudden movement of the skiff, which in his cooler moments he attributed solely to his awkwardness. For as he stood a moment later dripping and wrathful upon the steps, he had sundry unpleasant suspicions, mainly due to a faint reminiscence of something unaccountable in that sudden slipping away of the boat from under him.

But a moment's reflection convinced him that it was absurd to suppose that any one should wish to be rid of his society, and even in the most improbable event he felt sure that not even so young a lady as Miss Alston would resort to such an undignified, childish and altogether improper method. The disappearance of these disagreeable suspicions was of course aided by the sincerest regret and sympathy, expressed in a voice which would have made the fortune of an orator or an actress.

"Of course that ends our rowing," said Alice decidedly. "Mr. Beall can go to the house with you, and I will row out and find Constance and Mr. Alexander."

But Dunn, now thoroughly appeased and not over anxious for unsympathetic male companionship in his rather absurd condition, demurred emphatically. How the conclusion was reached he never exactly understood, but somehow after considerable argument and protestation he found himself damply on his way toward the house, while Miss Alston and Mr. Beall had departed on what seemed to him an utterly useless search for the remaining members of the party.

The two rowed on in silence until the sound of Mr. Dunn's creaking steps had died away, then Beall broke the silence by an ineffectual offer to change his seat to the stern.

"This seat is far enough aft to balance the boat," said Alice, with unconscious technicality. "And you may upset her moving about. We don't want any more accidents. I am sorry Mr. Dunn fell over," she added, after a slight pause. If she smiled her face was turned away from Beall and he could not see its expression. "I like him very much," she continued.

"So do I," said Beall, with bitter, youthful irony. "I like his high ideals, and his modest truthfulness, and his culture—don't you?"

"He is my guest," responded Alice coldly.

Beall might have replied that, considering the recent occurrence, her ideas of hospitality were extremely recent and a trifle suspicious. But having no absolute proof of the cause of that happy accident he refrained, and simply asked: "He has another claim to your consideration, hasn't he?"

Alice disdained equivocation. "I suppose," she said, "you mean to ask whether the report of my engagement to him is true."

Beall briefly assented.

"And by what right?" she asked.

"I had the right once," he said sadly.

"Suppose we do not talk about what you once had," said Alice. "You didn't seem to care much about it then."

This startling perversion of the facts bewildered Beall too much for any attempt at defense. He could only ask once more for an answer to his question.

"And if I told you," said Alice, "I suppose you would do as you did on a similar occasion once before—threaten to do something desperate, and then not do it. And I should be so disappointed."

Beall took this rather aggravating remark rather good naturedly. "No; I've learned something since then," he said. "I wished to know about this simply because if you are not engaged to Mr. Dunn I have an important piece of news to tell you."

"I suppose you will pardon my saying that I don't take as much interest as most persons in important pieces of news" said Alice. "But it is due to Mr. Dunn for me to tell you that the report isn't true."

"Then," replied Beall, "I can tell you my news. But if you don't mind I would rather not tell it to the back of your head." So saying he calmly took possession of half of the rowing seat. "What I wished to tell you," he continued, "is that I am going to be married in a few months."

Alice started. "You are! And to whom?"

"That's just the difficulty," he said contemplatively. "I've arranged everything else satisfactorily. My business affairs are all right—right enough for me to marry seven or eight girls if the law permitted. I've thought of everything else. I haven't spoken to the different people, but I suppose there will be no trouble. The only problem is, as you suggest, about the bride. So I came over mainly to ask you to occupy that position."

Alice turned suddenly. "Mr. Beall," she said, "this is a most unpleasant form of joke."

"It isn't a joke at all," he answered placidly. "You laughed at my vehemence and romance about such things once before, so I thought I would try a style you would like. But, on my honor, I never was more in earnest in my life."

Alice drew the blade of her oar slowly through the water for a moment. There was every reason in the world why she should refuse a proposal made in this cool, confident and irritating manner. So, being a woman, she answered finally, "Well, I suppose it would be a pity to break up all your arrangements."

As Beall sat late that night in Mr. Alexander's room enjoying to the utmost the bitter end of a long black cigar, he said charitably, "Now there's Dunn—I don't think he's such a bad sort of fellow after all."

Alec under looked up in humorous surprise from the valise he was packing. "Why," he exclaimed, "you said this morning on the train that you had spent long days in wondering how Dunn had escaped the penitentiary."

"Oh, this morning," answered Beall. "To tell you the truth, old man, I wasn't feeling very well this morning."—Harper's Weekly.

Drug Store Coffee.

Customer (at soda fountain)—Have you any coffee flavor?

Clerk (briskly)—Yes, sir.

"Does it taste like coffee?"

"Um—er—n-o, but it looks like coffee—perfect picture of it, sir."—New York Weekly.

Moore's Greatest Poem.

"Lada Rookh" was read universally and translated into several European languages. The poem has no lofty Miltonic flights—no hall of Eblis reaching the height of the sublime—but it is calculated to suit the taste of every order of the mind. Young and old, educated and uneducated, comprehend its luxurious imagery, sweet passages, fascinating descriptions and gorgeous voluptuousness; hence the uncommon popularity of the poem. Those who have hearts for the deeper things of humanity—what enjoyments come not from external color, orient hues and Tyrian purple?—will prefer the heart which is shown in many of Moore's other productions.—Westminster Review.

The Hot Water Fad.

The hot water cure for dyspepsia, indigestion and kindred ailments is by no means a novelty, but the manner in which it is habitually practiced at the country home of a wealthy New York business man is certainly out of the ordinary. The country home aforesaid is not more than half an hour's ride by rail from New York, and it is a very attractive resort for the young friends of the hospitable owner.

A few weeks ago a member of one of the athletic clubs in this city, a young giant in stature and a second Gladstone in physical health and vigor, received a cordial invitation to spend a few days at this country mansion. He accepted with alacrity, and presented himself before his host and hostess at the appointed time. He had a most agreeable time, but in narrating his experience to a chum a few days after his return to the city he said: "It was a jolly visit. Everybody there was as nice as could be, and Mr. M.'s hospitality is simply delicious. But there was one thing that staggered me at the outset—that was their custom of drinking clear hot water.

"Each night before the family and guests dispersed to their respective rooms a servant would appear in the drawing room with a pitcher of hot water and a lot of goblets. Everybody was expected to drink a gobletful of that exhilarating beverage, because the hot water cure is the special fad of the host. Well, of course I had no use for hot water taken internally, but I drank it, of course, as each of the others did. A second dose of the same liquid was served to us in our rooms each morning while we were dressing for breakfast. A servant came around just after the rising bell was rung and left a small pitcher of hot water and a goblet at each room. I quietly poured my morning allowance down the waste pipe of the washstand."—New York Times.

Combat of the Sea and Sun.

For miles stretches a floor of silver sand. The sun has bleached the whiteness on its face a deathly pallor.

The sun and the sea are foes and their battleground is that floor of silver sand—for when the mighty wave dashes in to cool the parched face and thirst of the sand how quickly the sun blows with fierce its heated breath and dries the moisture! Then again for miles stretches a flow of silver sand.

The knotted old pines on the knoll turn their heads and bend their bodies from the sea, and the tall, thin, burned brown grasses lean inland and tremble at the cry of thirst from the burning sand they live in. But they are slaves, these trees and weeds—slaves to the sun They dare not but fain rebellion for the sea.

It is only when the sun lowers its proud and cruel head that these trees and grasses raise their crooked forms and open their mouths for the moist kiss of night; only when the silver sand has slaked its thirst, and the rising tide, unchecked by the sun, has bathed it, is it these cowards turn their faces seaward.

What hypocrites, these slaves of the sun! For on the morrow, when the day awakes and the sun and the sea carry on their never ending combat they play again their part, with backs to the sea, while at their feet for miles stretches a floor of silver sand.—New York Herald.

The Social Melon.

Very peculiar is the popular estimation of a watermelon. Apples, peaches, oranges we may carry in the street without causing people to make remarks about or to us. Not so with the watermelon. One day Judge Mack, of Kansas, said to his grocer: "People in this town seem distant, unsociable."

"You don't understand human nature," said the grocer. "Take home this watermelon in the basket on your arm, and if people on the way don't speak to you, then you needn't pay for the melon."

The judge first met a dignified matron, who said with a faint smile:

"Ah, luxuries today, judge!"

At the next crossing a minister exclaimed:

"Am I invited to dine with you today?"

On Pine street a German said:

"Ish you going to be bolite already, judge, und divide mit me?"

On Elm street a Frenchman bowed gracefully. "Ah, ze meelon!"

At the corner of Main and Jackson streets a loud voice called:

"Lor now, judge, dean' ye done drap dat dar melon, hi, ki, ha, ha!"

The judge paid for the melon next day.—Youth's Companion.

They Were Willing.

One of the last important measures of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, before Maine was made a state, was to negotiate with the Penobscot Indians for the purchase of their rights in a large tract of forest land, and some very eminent gentlemen were selected to carry out the bargain. After the signing of the deed with all due formality by the assembled sagamores at Bangor it was necessary for them to "acknowledge it," as the legal phrase is. One of the stately commissioners held up the paper and asked "if they acknowledged it to be their free act and deed."

The result was the red men gathered their blankets around them and relapsed into a state of stoical indifference, giving no sign of reply. General Blake, who was present, had had much to do with the Indians, and saw at once they did not understand what the formality required of them meant. "Let me try," he said, taking the paper. Turning to the head chief, he said, "You willing—and all the rest of the Indians willing?" "Ouii! Ouii!" they all cried in answer, showing as much of willingness as they had hitherto of reserve.—Lewiston Journal.

Decadence of the Cowboy.

The cowboy is becoming extinct like the buffalo, the prairie wolf, the painted redskin and the highway robber of the plains. Civilization is as hard on the cowboys as it is on the other animals enumerated. The cowboy, however, has been largely a myth. He has been existing in the imagination of eastern writers just as several very fine Indians were turned out by Cooper. There are many herders, but from them the cowboy who is pictured by the common imagination was evolved. Texas produced the herder and the cowboy. Texas produces all there is left of him yet. I have seen the cowboy element as it actually exists—never totally depraved, but always wild and often dangerous. The dangerous cowboy is rapidly disappearing.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

No Consolation for Cracked China.

How many housekeepers there are that can sympathize with the old Virginia lady who said to her friend on finding a treasured old cup cracked by a careless maid, "I know of nothing to compare with the affliction of losing a handsome piece of old china." "Surely," said the friend, "it is not so bad as losing one's children." "Yes, it is, for when your children die you do have the consolation of religion, you know."—New York Sun.

Six brothers of the Frost family at Kansas City own the following odd lot of names; Jack Frost, Winter Frost, White Frost, Cold Frost, Early Frost and Snow Frost.

At Dundenong, Australia, there is a blue gum tree which has an estimated height of 450 feet. It is believed to be the tallest tree in the world.

WRESTLING WITH A GOAT.

An Embarrassing Adventure with a Male Goat While Taking a Stroll.

"My worst experience was with a goat—a long horned, bewhiskered billygoat," said Bert Longan in a yarn swapping crowd at the Lindell. "At one of the little towns in the northwestern part of the state where I sold a pretty good bill once a month 'fair Dulcinea' resided. She was just out of Vassar, and I flattered myself that my leaving Princeton unceremoniously in my sophomore year did not hurt me any with her. She was bright and witty and loved fun, and my house was getting ready to inquire into my reasons for making that town so often, when the incident I refer to occurred. We had one little tour when we took a walk in the suburbs that I rather doted on, and every time I rolled into town I would go by her house as soon as possible and we would take a stroll along that street.

"I was making efforts to reach the town one Sunday, and was trying to 'do' two stations on Saturday, when I slipped on one of the customary country sidewalks and dislocated my right arm. It was at once put into place and in a few hours I was going around about as usual, but the doctor cautioned me to be careful, for if I made another break the result might be serious. After thinking the matter over I decided to run down and get some genuine Vassar college sympathy from Miss Mary, as we will call her, because that isn't her name. Sunday morning, carrying my bandaged arm in a sling, I went up, looking very pale, and got a bushel of sympathy from a pair of limpid blue eyes the very first play.

"Take a walk? Yes, and along the same street I was stuck on. You know how it is in some towns; everything runs at large—hogs, cattle, sheep and even billygoats. Well, this Sunday morning a William goat, whose antiquity would have been supposed to guarantee better manners, planted himself in our path and told us as plainly as words could to get out. Miss Mary sprang back with a little scream as Sir William came at me. My right arm was useless of course, but I stepped nimbly to one side and caught the doughty warrior by the horn as he came past, and held him down.

"Ever tackle a William goat? A really wide awake, rambunctious William goat? No? Well, I don't want to thrust my advice on you, but don't. At least not unless you have more than one hand. In fact I should say not unless you have half a dozen hands. My billygoat, I should say, was unusual—at least I should hope so. I should hesitate to believe that any other billygoat has, or ever had, the same number of compound and complex steel springs in his anatomy. Of course I froze to him; I had to. And every time he would double himself up and let himself out the figure we would cut must have been attractive. I admit my legs are rather long and nature evidently intended my feet for Chicago, but is that any reason why a fellow's girl should sit on a fence and hurt herself laughing while he is 'playing windmill' in the air? How long did it last? Oh, it seemed like a week or so, but I guess it was about an hour.

"The folks were all coming home from church as Sir William and I crawled out from different sides of the black muddy pool by the side of the road, in the bottom of which we had finished up our last round. We were both willing to call it a draw, and I didn't blame the scandalized church people who looked on in horror. Even the billygoat's owner didn't know him, for he was white when we first entered the ring. But then so was I, and I had a tie and collar and a hat and several other similar little addenda to a gentleman's toilet, which were shed in spots over the commons. Explanations? No indeed. I heard the rumble of an old freight train, and as there was a crossing near, at which it had to stop, I ran over and caught it. My fair Dulcinea? Married I understand. I have never been back there since."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Picture of Bismarck.

A tall, burly man swings around the corner of the Friedrich strasse, his loud "Ha! ha!" ringing out above the noise of the street as he strides down the Linden. The crowd makes way for him when it will for few others, and in truth he is the stamp of man to drive a path for himself even through an obstructive crowd.

His step is firm and massive, his shoulders are broad and square; the undress cuirassier cap sets off well the strong face with the heavy snow white mustache and the terrible underjaw, massive yet not fleshy, full, but not exuberant, which one never looks at without thinking how symbolic it is of the "blood and iron" dogma which the stern, but haughty man, once so frankly enunciated.

When last I had seen Bismarck he was sitting on his big horse under the statue of Strasbourg, in the Place de la Concorde, on the day the German troops marched into Paris, glowering down scornfully from under the peak of his metal helmet on a group of Frenchmen who had identified him and were shrinking as they spat hissings up at him.—Archibald Forbes in Scribner's.

Arsenical Poisoning.

The danger through arsenical poisoning in our homes is not confined to the wall papers, having been found often present in cretonnes and imitation Indian muslin in poisonous quantities. A bad specimen of cretonne has yielded on analysis 19⅝ grains of white arsenic, 2½ grains having been known to be a fatal dose. Some months back a London doctor experimented upon forty-four samples of cretonne supplied by a local tradesman, not one of which was absolutely free from the poison; eleven of them were pronounced by the analyst as "very bad," and nine as "distinctly dangerous."

It is quite a common occurrence to have pieces of these substances in a room containing sufficient arsenic to give 100 people a fatal dose. A very popular impression has been that greens and blues are the dangerous colors, but the analyst declares that reds, browns and blacks are more dangerous still.—Chambers' Journal.

It would seem that nearly a quarter of all cases of insanity are hereditary, and animals are not free from this visitation.

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LITERARY TRAMPS.

AUTHORS WHO ARE NOTED IN HISTORY AS PEDESTRIANS.

Homer Was Among the First of Whom We Have Any Record—In the Middle Ages the Singers of Ballads Moved from Place to Place on Foot.

The literary tramp is no new thing. Thousands of years ago a blind one sang of the beauty of Helen and the valor of Achilles. Nearer our own days palmers, with scrip and scallop shell, told tales for bread as they tramped toward the Holy Land or home from it. Troubadours sang as they strolled from castle to castle and became the fathers of literature. Then literature ceased to go on foot. When it could not ride, as Chaucer did, it staid at home and took expensive institutions, above all, the growth of cities, did away with literary vagabondage. Literature almost forgot nature in time, and the tramp took to garrets rather than to highways and wrote idylls in bed to keep warm. Only within the last hundred years has literature again found feet, and the pleasant spectacle of its makers tramping alone or in couples again becomes prominent.

Almost the first of literary tramps, if indeed they come within the description at all, were Shelley and Mary Godwin. They have left little trace of their adventures, yet that they could walk, or thought they could, is evident in their plan to go on foot from Paris to Lausanne. We catch a fleeting glimpse of them trudging with Jane Clairmont through the dust and grumbling bitterly at the evil fate and housing of vagabondage, the two women riding by turns on their only donkey till a sprained ankle promoted Shelley himself to ride, and they had to buy "a chariot." The poorest of tramps they must have been, for not love of nature but scarcity of gold put them on their feet. What the natives of the country thought of them no man can say, for the girls trudged in black silk gowns and were of the hated nation. Doubtless also they trudged along in the kid slippers and silk stockings and the corded and iron busked stays that were of that day. No wonder the poet got a "sprain!"

A stouter if less romantic pair of pedestrians were James and Harriet Martineau, who in 1822 made a tour on foot together in Scotland, walking 500 miles in a month. Miss Martineau was always a capital walker while she had health, and Wordsworth accused her of "walking the legs off" of half the gentlemen of Ambles de. For all that she was the most unimaginative of women. She had a "manly stride," and never nymph or pixie, elf or dryad lured her to follow streams or to dream beneath rustling foliage. Herbert Browning and Sariauna were another brother and sister who covered miles upon miles together. The peculiarity of their journeys lies in the fact that they did not begin them till both were middle aged. They formed their companionship after Mrs. Browning's death, with whose feeble steps neither of them had ever kept pace. Browning speaks of seventeen mile walks with Sariauna, and records nine miles accomplished in less than two hours, which certainly required more than the usual "manly stride" from his companion.

The Wordsworths, brother and sister, were splendid examples of literary tramping. Mrs. Wordsworth told Harriet Martineau that William and Dorothy sometimes walked forty miles a day. Tours on foot were a large part of their experience together. The first thing they did after their reunion in 1794 was to start off upon a little stroll, of which Dorothy wrote, "I walked with my brother from Kendal to Grasmere, eighteen miles, and afterward to Keswick, fifteen miles, through the most delightful country that ever was seen." In November, 1797, they started upon a pedestrian tour with Coleridge along the seacoast.

A little later in the same month the three set out at 4:30 of a dark and cloudy afternoon, walking eight miles for a start, while the two poets laid the plan of a ballad, with the sale of which they hoped to pay the expenses of the excursion. The methods of the two did not run easily together, and "The Ancient Mariner" was soon given over entirely to Coleridge. Dorothy did not walk in a black silk gown. Doubts are reasonable if even she ever had one. Her usual walking costume was a "little jacket and brown dress." Coleridge we may imagine in the same raiment in which he afterward traveled with the two in Scotland—the soiled nankeen trousers, the blue coat with brass buttons, in which he mounted a Unitarian pulpit and preached a candidate sermon. Wordsworth doubtless also wore his usual suit of dingy brown, with a flapping, broad brimmed straw hat to protect his weak eyes.

They were not three graces, this distinguished trio of tramps! Wordsworth was not a handsome man; not even an impressive man. In spite of the fact that the brother and sister walked, according to De Quincey's calculation, between 170,000 and 180,000 miles, his legs were the worst part of him, and the total effect of his narrow person was even more uncomely in movement than in repose. His walk was a roll and a lunge, with eyes fixed on the ground. "Mumbly on his legs," the neighbors described him. Once Dorothy, walking farther behind him than usual and thus getting a better view, was heard to exclaim discontentedly several times, "Can that be William?" Dorothy herself was short and slight, with such a gypsy tan as is rarely seen upon an English face. Her eyes were not soft nor were they fierce or bold, but they were wild and startling and hurried in their motion, like those of some wildwood creature.—Macmillan's Magazine.

A State Dinner in Venice.

In 1553 the patriarch of Aquileia feted Ranuccio Farnese, the pope's nephew, in the palace on the Giudecca. The rooms were decked with extraordinary sumptuousness, cloth of gold, paintings and illuminations adding to the effect produced by the patriarch's cooks. Among the guests were twelve gentlemen in fancy marine costume of green satin with red lining, wearing caps of the same colors, and each accompanied by a lady dressed in white. This repast lasted four hours, varied by music and the professional entertainers of the day. It ended with the cutting up of certain large pies, from which live birds flew out into the room. The guests strove with each other to catch these birds.—National Review.

American Fruit in Great Britain.

It would seem, according to the opinion of Mr. White, of Covent Garden, that bananas are gradually becoming a popular fruit in this country, although the English are still far behind the Americans, whose partiality for the banana is such that in August alone they imported more than 1,250,000 bunches. We get our bananas from the Canary islands and Madeira, and very soon we shall have them from Sierra Leone.—London Telegraph.

One Hour's Work.

"I'm simply exhausted," said Mrs. Higgins as she returned from her shopping tour. "Here I've been out one whole hour and couldn't get near a counter. Why, in all that time I've only bought five yards of lace, a dozen pairs of gloves, a stepladder, six finger bowls, a toy book for Willie, a pair of shoes for Sallie and stockings for Jamie, three neckties, four collars, a novel, three cups of chocolate, a pound of candy and a few knickknacks."—Harper's Bazar.

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Alas! the world has gone awry
Since Cousin Lillian entered college,
For she has grown so learned I
Oft tremble at her wondrous knowledge.
Whene'er I dare to woo her now
She frowns that I should so annoy her,
And then proclaims, with lofty brow,
Her mission is to be a lawyer.

Life glides no more on golden wings,
A sunny waif from El Dorado;
I've learned how true the poet sings,
That coming sorrow casts its shadow.
When tutti frutti lost its spell
I felt some hidden grief impended;
When she declined a caramel
I knew my rosy dream had ended.

She paints no more on china plaques,
With tints that would have crazed Murillo,
Strange birds that never plumed their backs
When Father Noah braved the billow.
Her fancy limns, with brighter blush,
The splendid triumphs that await her,
When in the court a breathless hush
Gives homage to the queen debater.

'Tis sad to meet such crushing woes
From eyes as blue as Scottish heather;
'Tis sad a maid with cheeks of rose
Should have her heart bound up in leather;
'Tis sad to keep one's passion pent,
Though Pallas' arms the fair environ;
But worse to have her quoting Kent
When one is fondly breathing Byron.

When Lillian is licensed at the law
Her client's cause [illegible]
No barrister will pick a flaw
In logic so extremely clever;
The sheriff will forget his nap
To feast upon the lovely vision,
And e'en the judge will set his cap
At her and dream of love Elysian.
—Samuel M. Peck in San Francisco Argonaut.

Scott Enjoyed Being Lionized.

Sir Walter Scott is an example of a great man, who, so far as we can judge, enjoyed paying the penalties of his greatness, even in his hour of death. He was great enough, but then he was that kind of a man, and the circumstances among which he lived were favorable. That was before the day of the penny post, of the electric telegraph, of railways and of the interviewer, and in his prime he lived at Abbotsford, which is equivalent nowadays to saying that he lived at Joppa. He seems to have been singularly free from the penalties of greatness, which have enormously increased since the Wizard of the North went home, and such of them as came in his way he seems to have heartily enjoyed.

He appears now and then to have relished being turned into a rare show, and to being pointed at wherever he went as Walter Scott. Indeed this being pointed at seems to have been relished by many men whose greatness was undoubted. Thackeray seems sometimes almost to have resented not being pointed at.—All the Year Round.

The Story of "Maud."

Few people knew Tennyson and his peculiarities better than did his neighbor Mrs. Cameron, the well known photographic artist, who made a fine series of character portraits by photography to illustrate Tennyson's poems. The history of her search for and selection of models for these characters is interesting. Maud was a starving Irish girl, who served her both as model and waiting maid.

The sequel to the story of Mrs. Cameron's Maud is too pretty not to be given. When Mrs. Cameron held her exhibition in London, Maud was sent up with a chaperon to explain the pictures to the public. A gentleman came in one day, and after having asked several questions left. A year or two afterward he passed into the Indian civil service, but before starting for the east he went down to Freshwater and knocked at Mrs. Cameron's door, begging for Maud's hand. The beautiful Maud was willing, and they were married.—New York Tribune.

Travel in the East.

How wonderful and ever present is the contrast in eastern travel to all life and movement at home. No heavy carts and lumbering wagons jolt to and fro between the farmyard and the fields. No light vehicles and swift equipages dash past on macadamized roads. Alas! there are no roads—and if no roads, how much less any vehicles or wagons. Thatched roofs and tiled cottages, lanes and hedgerows and trim fields, rivers coursing between full banks, beyond all the roar and sudden smoky rush of the train—these might not exist in the world at all, and do not exist in the world of the Persian, straitened and stunted, but inexpressibly tranquil in his existence. Here all is movement and bustle, flux and speed; there everything is imperturbable, immemorial, immutable, slow. —"Persia and the Persian Question."

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Any observer can see that the filth incessantly deposited in the city streets is almost wholly due to animals. With the disappearance of this a vast amount of disease produced by the microbes thus continually sent broadcast into the air will thus be prevented.—Sylvester Baxter in Arena.

An Eccentric Duke.

Worthy of note is the house built near Worksop, England, by the eccentric Duke of Portland, who died in 1882. This was known as Welbeck abbey. He was a hermit who loved seclusion. Indeed he was liable to attacks of eczema, which made him fancy himself repulsive to his fellows. So he buried himself and his eczema in a most fanciful privacy. An element of weird originality was secured by building huge structures—library, riding school, winter garden and so on—all underground. Here was burying oneself with a vengeance! It could not have been merely the desire for seclusion, because seclusion can be obtained above ground by admitting light through clear stories quite as effectively as under the earth.

It must have been a mere love for eerie effects. The immense scale of the expenditure makes the result even more striking, but the duke did not ruin himself, as one Irish peer is said to have done, in building a park wall that exhausted all his resources. Indeed it is hard for a hermit of secluded tastes and with an annual rent roll of $2,000,000 to ruin himself. One of his mysterious habits was to have four quarts of malt liquor drawn for himself every day. He never drank them, that is the only thing certain. What became of the liquor no one knew, but it was thought that the duke used it to soak the oaken floors till they attained a special shade of color.—New York World.

Doings of an Absentminded Maiden.

It was at a busy hour in the forenoon, when all the city was making its way into the region known as down town, that the absentminded girl distinguished herself. Her absentmindedness was conspicuous from afar. She forgot to put up her umbrella, and she neglected to hold up her train, although the weather was the kind that demanded both these precautions against disease. She started up the steps on the side where the south bound trains run, and then she remembered that her destination was in the opposite direction. Then she crossed the street and began the ascent again, but came down again to go to a letter box on the corner. Finally she mounted into the ticket office, bought her ticket, forgot to take her change until called back and then, passing through the door, absentmindedly dropped four neatly stamped and directed letters into the ticket box.

When they were found to be hopelessly lost until such time as the travel slackened long enough for the road carpenter to take the top off the box, and when the young woman had been addressed in tones and words of unfamiliar strength and bluntness, she only opened her eyes a trifle and said in a puzzled, meditative sort of way, "I wonder what on earth it was I dropped into the letter box."—Chicago Times.

The Dog Knew.

There is a prominent business man in town who is somewhat of a dog fancier and takes pride in a pair of English setters that have held a prominent place in several bench shows of the country. Some months ago one of them developed an incipient case of ophthamia and was taken to an oculist for treatment just as naturally as would have been any other member of the family. The treatment, which consisted of drops to be put in the patient's eyes, proved quite successful and relieved the trouble for a time, but after awhile it came on again and a second expedition was planned to the doctor's.

Flim Flam seemed to know where he was going, for on entering the square where the oculist had his office he raced ahead of his master and up the steps where he had been but once before, and on the door being opened bolted straight for the treatment room instead of waiting his turn down stairs, as two legged patients learn to do to their sorrow and impatience. This time the treatment was a zinc solution that was very severe and brought the water in streams from the patient's eyes, but he took it with his nose in the air, never wincing, and the only sign of feeling he made was to hold out one paw pathetically for his master's hand.—Washington Star.

The Center of the Globe.

The existence of volcanoes, geysers and hot springs irregularly scattered over the whole surface of the globe and continually ejecting molten rock, ashes, mud, steam or hot water is an obvious indication of some very widespread source of heat within the earth, but of the nature or origin of that heat they give little positive information. The heat thus indicated has been supposed to be due to many causes, such as the pressure and friction caused by contraction of the cooling crust, chemical action at great depths beneath the surface, isolated lakes of molten rock due to these or to unknown causes, or to a molten interior, or at least a general substratum of molten matter between the crust and a possibly solid interior. The first two causes are now generally admitted to be inadequate, and our choice is practically limited to one of the latter.—Fortnightly Review

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

When leaving his home at Springfield, Ill., to be inaugurated President of the United States, made a farewell address to his old friends and neighbors, in which he said, "NEIGHBORS GIVE YOUR BOYS A CHANCE."

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Leave Bristol for Phila., (Broad St.) *2 16, 5.35, 6 30, 6.53, 7.21, *8.12, 8.23, *9.14, 9.52, *10.26 A.M. 12 07, 1.01, *1 34, *3.03, 3.12, 4.12, *4.58, *5.37, 5.45, 6.25, *7.00, 8.51, 9.27, 11.20 P. M. Sunday trains, *2.46, 7.00, *8.11, 9.00, *10.26, A. M. *12 04, 12.25, 5.05, 5 43, *7.21, 7.30, 8.51, 9.28, *11.03 P. M.

Leave Phila. (Broad St.) for Bristol, 12 01, 3.20, 6.07, *6.50, 7 32, 8.30, 9 55, *11.14 A. M. 12.01, 1 10, 1.50, 2.43, 3 32, *4.05, 4.20, *5.00, 5.02, 5.25, *6 00, 6.01, 6.21, 7.27, 9.17, *10 00, 10.28, 11.31 P. M. Sunday trains, 12.01, 7.40, *8.30, 9.05, 11.45, A. M. 2.06, *5.20, 5.55, 7.25, *8.12, 10 45 P. M.

(*) Express trains.

MORE ABOUT THE TROLLEY.

I don't live on Radcliffe street but I do not blame those who do, especially the ladies, for vigorously protesting against the proposed use of their beautiful thoroughfare by a set of outsiders, for the dangerous, noisy and unsightly trolley road. Those of us who "live on the back streets," as the Radcliffe street ladies delight to distinguish us, nevertheless are fully awake to the unusual beauties of that street, probably the finest for its length in the country, from a purely natural standpoint, and we not only sympathize with the "front" street ladies, but would like to join with them in every effort possible to prevent the threatened disfigurement and danger. Since none of our citizens are to profit by the dividends (!) on the stock and are simply expected to unopposedly grant a fee simple graded right of way of our best streets and pay the company for the privilege, I think it would be well to raise a storm of indignant protest before the council meeting as will induce those gentlemen to forbid the use of our streets for the purpose—or to impose such rules and requirements as will hinder and prevent it; such as requiring the streets occupied by the road to be paved with the most improved form of pavement, Asphalt or Belgian blocks, and to compel them to keep these streets in perfect order. And as the trolley would injure if not destroy all the beautiful shade trees on its route they should be compelled to pay for such injury a good round price to the property owners.

Our streets have been taken possession of with unsightly poles and wire and hundreds of our finest shade trees topped off and destroyed by the Bristol Electric Light Co., who with poorer light than we had before and much more expense annually to the Borough, got this great privilege for nothing. There may be some excuse in this (but I can't see where) in the fact that the Electric Light Company is a purely Bristol corporation, and the money earned from our people is also earned by our people; but Mr. Editor council will be grossly derelict in their duty if they do not make this proposed outside corporation pay a reasonable return as above stated for the great privilege they propose to seize, unless a proper stop is put to their piracy.

Respectfully yours,

BACK STREET.

HOUSE NUMBERS.

A writer in THE GAZETTE of last week, who signs his communication as "Lex," endeavors to give the impression that Council has no right to require owners of houses to number them, or to impose a fine for neglect or refusal so to do. Section 7 of the act of assembly approved February 15th, 1851 provides that the Burgess and Council "May enact such by-laws, and make such rules, regulations and ordinances as shall be determined by a majority of them necessary to promote the peace, good order, benefit and advantage of the said borough." It is hardly needful to say that the power to make rules and regulations carries with it the power to enforce them. The writer believes that an ordinance requiring houses to be systematically numbered, and imposing a penalty on owners for neglect or refusal to do so, is clearly within the power of Council, either under the general principle that municipal corporations have the right to make and enforce all reasonable rules and regulations for the public welfare, or under the express provision of the Act of Assembly as above cited. I think even "Lex" will admit that the ordinance to which he objects is a reasonable rule, and that if enforced it will be for the "benefit and advantage" of the town. Should Council, as suggested, pass an ordinance "recommending" the numbering to be done without providing any means to enforce the performance thereof, it could truly be charged, not only with "ignorant legislation," but also with a very lax method of doing business.

JNO. C. MAULE.

HALLOWELL WILL CONTEST WANGER'S SEAT.

Congressman-elect Irving P. Wanger, of the Seventh District, composed of Montgomery and Bucks counties, has been served with notice that his seat in Congress will be contested by his recent Democratic opponent, Edwin Hallowell, the present Representative from the District. The allegations of the plaintiff are substantially a repetition of those filed by four other Democratic contestants, making no specific charges. Similar allegations have been filed in Bucks county. Mr. Hallowell's attorneys are Senator George Ross, of Doylestown, and Charles Hunsicker, of Norristown.

Mr. Wanger's plurality in the district is 179. If the allegations of Messrs. Taggart and Godshall, Republicans of Montgomery county, who are contesting the election of Messrs. Effrig and Baker, can be sustained, there will be increased Republican pluralities all along the line, unless unlooked-for irregularities are disclosed to the advantage of the Democrats.—Intelligencer.

BLOOMSDALE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

On Christmas eve the pupils of this school assembled in the south parlor at Bloomsdale, twenty-two being present, although five or six were absent on account of snow and excessive cold. In a corner stood a large tree brilliantly decorated and illuminated and loaded with dolls, toys and books, which articles, after some appropriate religious exercises, were distributed to the marked enjoyment of the children.

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3 bottles Ketchup,	25c	Corn Starch,	7c
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CHANGE OF TIME.

In Effect September 12th '92.

Leave Bristol for Philadelphia at 7 15 A M

Leave Philadelphia for Bristol at 2 00 P M.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

—HAPPY NEW YEAR

—The skating is excellent on the river, mill pond and canal basin

—Special Christmas services were held in all the Bristol church last Sunday

—The installation of officers of H Clay Beatty Post No 73 G A R, will take place on next Monday evening

—John Adams, has been appointed special officer to act as night watchman at the new freight depot.

—There will be a phonographic entertainment at the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, at 7 15 o'clock Admission 25 cents

—Dr Joseph DeBenneville Abbott, while skating on Jackson's pond last Monday afternoon, had the misfortune to have his leg broken by being run into by a large dog

—List of letters remaining in the Bristol postoffice Dec 29th Tom Caddick, Jacob Bellinger, Frank Fornwell, Miss Mamie Galliger, Patrick McCarman, Allen C Norton, Christian Obenbaud, Chas Stickhouse and Mr Zlatcwhick

—A horse and wagon was stolen last night at Newportville from a Mr Dewees, who had recently moved into that neighborhood from Philadelphia Mr. Dewees was in Bristol this morning seeking the aid of the police in recovery of his property.

—At a meeting of the members of the *M. E. church of Bristol last Monday* evening, it was determined to purchase the life right of Mrs King, to property located in Philadelphia, willed to the church. Mrs King will receive $7,000 for her interest. The property is estimated to be worth in the neighborhood of $30,000

—A German beneficial society was organized on last Tuesday evening at Mohican hall The following persons were nominated and elected officers of the association for the first year President, William Boren Secretary, William Snyder Treasurer, H J Molden A. Terneson was secretary pro tem The trustees are Henry Dickel to serve eighteen months, Frank Nolf for twelve months and Edward Hoeding for six months The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, January 10th, when a draft of constitution and by-laws will be presented for adoption.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Harry Bloomsburg, a former Bristol boy, son of Peter Bloomsburg, leaves the employ on the 1st of January, of the Messrs Harlin & Hollingsworth at Wilmington, Del, to take a position as general manager of an extensive boiler and engine works at Baltimore, Md

Miss Katharine Brown, of Lewisburg, Pa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W H. Chipman, at the Baptist parsonage

The New York division of the Pennsylvania railroad has been divided and Mr. Frank Elmaker has been appointed superintendent of the division from Gray's Ferry to Tacony.

A Lincoln Wilson, who has been in the City of Mexico for several years, has returned to Bristol.

Mr. Harry J Shoemaker and family of Washington, D C, are spending the holidays in Bristol.

There will be six of the popular personally-conducted tours run to the Capital during the winter and spring of the new year January 19th, February 9th, March 23, April 13th, May 4th and 25th are the dates selected.

On December 29th the last of the present series will be run, affording a splendid opportunity in which to spend the holidays The remarkably low rate of $11 from Philadelphia includes railroad fare and hotel accommodations at the best of Washington's hotels during the three days spent on the tours.

Further information furnished on application to Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Railroad Company or Tourist Agent, 233 South Fourth Stree, Philadelphia.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCILS

There was a special meeting of the Borough Council last evening to hear the report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, which had been directed to confer with the Bristol Water Company relative to securing a contract for supplying fire hydrants with water

The Committee presented a communication from the Water Company, which after quoting the resolution adopted by Council at its last meeting offering $300 for the service required, says

It may be well to inform your Committee of the present status of the water service, furnished to the Borough by this Company, in order that its value may not be overestimated, while discussing the terms of a new contract

On December 4th, 1886, this company entered into a contract with the Borough to furnish water to fire hydrants, for fire protection, from branches located in mains then existing, and at the dead ends of said mains, and upon a main that might thereafter be placed on Buckley street, for the sum of six hundred dollars per annum Said contract to run for the period of six years from January 1st, 1887 And for the first six months of said contract no rental should be charged

The conditions of this contract the Company has fullfilled On every occasion during the term, when the water service was called for, the quantity and pressure of water was furnished to the fullest extent and with the utmost promptitude.

Moreover, we desire to call your attention to the fact that all of the streets that might subsequently be occupied by water mains, Buckley street has the only one on which we agreed to furnish water to fire-hydrants

Without regarding this limitation, the Company has placed fire-hydrant connections on every street, in which mains have been planted since December 4th, 1886, and have rendered no charge therefor

These main extensions are on Washington, Garden, Prospect, Corson, Pine, Swain, Linden, Bath and Pond streets, Jefferson and Lincoln avenues, Beaver Dam road, and the upper end of Wood street All of which involved the expense of six inch mains, where for the domestic services of the Borough four inch mains would answer all purposes

Over and above the service provided by the contract, it may be estimated that the present facilities amount to twenty per cent

Although in excess of contract service to this extent, is rendered, the appreciation of the same is apparently estimated at a discount of fifty per cent below the original agreement

To meet this liberal sentiment, the Board of Directors propose to furnish water to the Borough for fire protection in the future, on the same terms and conditions as provided in the said contract executed December 4th, 1886, without any compensation therefor

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
of the Bristol Water Co
G M DORRANCE, Clerk

James Wright, Chairman of the Streets and Highway Committee offered the following resolution,

RESOLVED, That the offer of the Board of Directors of the Bristol Water Company be accepted, and that a vote of thanks be transmitted to them by the clerk in acknowledgment of their generous action in offering to supply the Borough with water for fire protection without charge

The resolution was adopted and Council djourned.

—"Flirting Wives" is the title of a paper written by Mrs Amelia E Barr for the North American Review for January

—An important article of timely interest has been written for the January North American Review by Hon W. E Chandler, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Immigration, entitled, "Shall Immigration be Suspended?" He takes the view that restriction is necessary in order to insure the success of the World's Fair.

CHURCH NOTICES

Services at the Baptist church, corner Walnut and Cedar Sts, Sunday, January 1st, as follows At 10 30 A M, preaching by the pastor, subject, "Valuable Defences for the New Year" Baptism and the Lord's Supper to be administered at this service

Sunday-school at 2 15 P M, Joseph W Leafe, Superintendent.

6 30 Young Peoples' Meeting, Topic, "Starting Right." Leader, Rev W H Chipman

7 30 P M. preaching by the pastor, Subject, "Redeeming the Time," a New Year's sermon

Services in the church each evening during the week of prayer, January 1st to January 8th.

Everybody cordially invited to all the services.

If you are offered a bottle of Salvation Oil, without a wrapper, or mutilated or defaced, don't buy it at any price you may be sure that there is something wrong—it may be a worthless or dangerous counterfeit Insist upon getting a perfect, unbroken genuine package, in a yellow wrapper Be on your guard!

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Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once

A Heavy Sentence.

So many walls need pretty coverings that The Fidelity Wall Paper Co of 12 N 11th St Phila have sentenced to be hung this fall, some 50 000 pieces of Wall Paper Send four two cent stamps for samples of embossed papers for 10 and 12 cents

Oh, What a Cough

Will you heed the warning The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c, to run the risk and do nothing for it We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough It never fails How explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year It relieves croup and whooping cough at once Mothers do not be without it For lame back side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster Sold by Jno K Young 527 Bath street, Bristol, Pa

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DIED

CROSS—On 28th inst, Rebecca widow of the late Caleb Cross, of Mount Holly N J, aged 79 years

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LIERNAN—On December 28th, Thomas Liernan, in the 87th year of his age

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It was the discontent of the farmers which caused the Democratic victories of two years ago The WEEKLY TRIBUNE, add essing itself directly to them for the past two years has carried on a campaign of discussion for their benefit a most unparalleled in American journalism and the result coupled with Whitelaw Reid's previous great service to farmers has been seen in the fact that agricultural communities have stood faithful to the Republican party in a campaign in which in other localities the party went completely to pieces This year the Democratic leaders changed their tactics and excited discontent among workingmen They put up to the highest prices of farm products and assured the workingmen of Northern cities that the British tariff system (that is to say, lessened protection to American farming and industry) would lower the prices of food and manufactured products and the profits of monopolists in this country, while at the same time maintaining the wages of labor those wages being now the highest ever known in the United States They also pretend deception and a pandering to the lowest passions of uninformed men in large cities, they have carried the country and elected a Democratic President and Congress

THE TRIBUNE confidently awaits the result Not for one moment however, will it yield one inch of ground in the battle for American policies

Roswell G Horr's great articles will be among the features of The Tribune the coming year Men of every political faith are invited to read them They will state the Republican view with frankness point out the probable consequences of a change in the tariff policy of the country, and evade no issue and conceal no fact bearing upon the subjects discussed Their thorough treatment of fundamental principles will aid every reader to a better understanding of profound and important issues

A page a week will be devoted during 1893 to war stories and news of interest to Union veterans Old soldiers, who have some experience to tell which has not yet been printed, are asked to send the story to The Tribune for publication

Farming has now become such an enormous interest in the United States that there is an imperative necessity for making more of a specialty of the business interests of the Farmers of the country at large Plans have been formed that ought to make the Semi Weekly and the Weekly Tribune absolutely indispensable to every tiller of the soil during 1893

A large number of entertaining features of general interest will also appear How to Succeed in Life, Village Improvement special articles by brilliant men and women of high reputation Chess and Checkers and a hundred other things which cannot be recited in a list of prospectus, will appear on the TRIBUNE'S pages during 1893 The paper will have less politics and more of the thousand and one things which refresh the mind entertain the imagination, and guide the reader in the reader in the prosecution of his business and social life

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Robert Grant

will relate the further experiences of Fred and Josephine in "A SEQUEL TO THE REFLECTIONS OF A MARRIED MAN. Illustrated

Harold Frederic

will contribute a dainty novel of great power, entitled, "THE COPPERHEAD"

By the Author of "Jerry."

Miss S R Elliott the author of "Jerry," will write a realistic story of life among the Tennessee mountaineers THE DURRELL SPLRRET

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Some unpublished letters of Carlyle to Edward Irving and others, dealing with a part of Carlyle's life far different from that brought out in the recent literature of Carlyle reminiscences Recollections of Lincoln and Sumner," by the late Marquis de Chambrun Both articles are full of new matter "An Artist in Japan, by Robert Blum, who has just returned from a residence of two years in that country Abundantly illustrated by the author "Historic Moments," which have been a feature of the Magazine during 1892 will be continued by some particularly striking papers, among them several by the great war correspondents William H Russell, Archibald Forbes, and others

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A series of articles on the life work of men in many callings—the choice ways (exclusive of professions) in which men earn their livelihood

The World's Fair in Chicago.

A series will be published later in the year giving the impressions made by the exhibition upon different observers of note, both American and foreign, and many of these observers will be also artists who will illustrate their own articles

Miscellaneous Articles

Further contributions to the POOR IN GREAT CITIES Mrs. Burnett's illustrated paper on the London plan for Home Aid to Invalid Children etc Of special interest also will be Professor Hellprin's authoritative account of the PEARY RELIEF EXPEDITION (illustrated), a very interesting article by Octave Uzanne on the exhibition of WOMAN'S ART now going on in Paris, and articles upon artistic subjects, accounts of travel, etc

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A WEIR GILKESON, Auditor

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Estate of EDWARD LEEDOM deceased, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks county

ALL persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having legal claims against the same are desired to present them in proper order for settlement, without delay to

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Or their Attorney,
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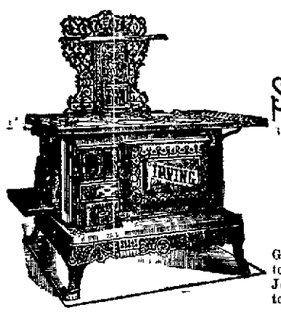

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A REPORTER'S STORY OF AN INTERVIEW WITH JAY GOULD.

The Great Railroad Man Was Never Inclined to Discuss in Advance His Plans with Newspaper Men—The Reporter Secured but Little Information.

Mr Jay Gould came out of the office door leading to the veranda of the Iron Springs hotel, at Manitou Colo, one morning in July, 1888, accompanied by his physician Dr Munn The two stood at the head of the stairway overlooking the canyon on the Iron Springs for a few minutes, and I had an opportunity to note the great change in the wizard's appearance since the last time I had seen him—two years before His face bore the impress of suffering, the lines in it were drawn the eyes heavy, and when he started down the stairway his steps were slow and his body swayed slightly, as if his strength were not sufficient to encourage vigor of movement

Dr Munn told me a few minutes later that Mr Gould was not in very robust health

"He has come here to rest and I don't think he would like to be interviewed" said the doctor I argued that I had come a long way to secure from Mr Gould an expression of opinion on two matters of the greatest importance to the west—the rumored extension of the Union Pacific railway from Denver into the southwestern country and the amalgamation of that road with the Denver, Texas and Fort Worth railway, which was then nearing completion I requested the doctor's permission to ask Mr Gould one or two questions, which would serve to double purpose of setting at rest doubt as to the Union Pacific's intentions and relieving Mr Gould of much future annoyance I think the last suggestion influenced Dr Munn's negative permission, "Well I don't think you will get anything out of him"

Mr Gould was walking slowly up the riddle path that led to the old Pike's peak trail, his hands clasped behind him and his attention riveted on the snow capped summit of the peak fifteen miles away up in the air as you looked to the southeast

He did not see me until I had made a misstep a few yards behind him and sent the gravel and loose earth scattering down the mountain Then he turned and peered at me under the half drawn lids of his heady eyes He remained standing perfectly still in the same attitude until I had come up with him

I stopped a few feet from him and stated my mission in these words as nearly as I can recall them 'Mr. Gould, the Denver News has sent me to secure if possible, a confirmation or denial of the reports current in New York and Chicago concerning the plans for extending the Union Pacific south from Denver, and also amalgamating with the Denver Texas and Fort Worth road I hope this explanation will serve as an apology for intruding upon your privacy"

Mr Gould listened patiently, and then looking upward again at the snow capped peak, said "I don t know that I can give you the information you seek I have been away from the east—from business I mean—so long that I am not familiar with the projects you speak of I should like to tell you something worth your journey but I am not well enough informed to do so"

"Perhaps you could tell me enough in a general way to stop these reports," I suggested.

"What do they say I am going to do?" he asked, turning his eyes on me again as I briefly retailed the gossip concerning the future of the Union Pacific, of which Mr Gould was supposed to be seeking the control He smiled once or twice—that is his eyes lighted up a trifle, though his face lost none of its haggardness

When I had concluded he said "Well they must talk about something They appear to be much better informed than I am on these subjects Do you know this country out here?" he said, abruptly changing the subject

I told him that I had visited Manitou and Pike's peak and had been up the range to the cascades He started to ask me a question, but I anticipated by saying "Mr Gould I think you would be saved much annoyance for the next week or two if these reports about your railway plans, and also this sensational statement about your health could be disposed of now A number of newspaper reporters are on their way to investigate them They could be easily turned back if you denied the reports"

I held out to him a telegram from Chicago, which stated he was seriously ill He eyed it but didn't like it

"So they're talking about my health, too, are they? Well I m used to being talked about If I denied all the rumors circulated about me and my affairs I would not have time to visit so charming a place as this About that report concerning my health, you see that I am still alive It is true that I have been slightly troubled with my face That has interfered with my sleep, but my appetite is very good I am not as sick as some people hope About the railway stories I have nothing to say"

We had walked slowly along as we talked, but when we reached the steep part of the trail he turned and we retraced our steps His attention was attracted by a fragment of pyrates that some one had dropped to the ground He indicated it with the toe of his boot and said

"There are many chances to make money in this western country That rock may contain valuable mineral A little money and perseverance will make any man rich I came very near coming west when I was a young man A friend named Miller (it was either Miller or Muller) wanted me to accompany him in 1854 or 1855 I was half inclined to do it, but I changed my mind I was always sorry that I did not come until I heard four or five years later that my friend was killed in Nevada I guess it's just as well that I remained in the east I might have been killed too"

By this time we had reached the hotel again Mr Gould turned, as he placed his foot on the step above, and said "It is too bad you came so far for nothing, but I suppose you will write an article anyway I hope you will be accurate"

As I turned to go down the trail toward the D and R G station, half a mile away, I thanked Mr Gould for his courtesy and volunteered the information that an excursion party of 200 Boston school teachers was to arrive that afternoon

"I am sorry for that," said he. "I hoped to have all this grand scenery to myself, but I can assure that they won't get any more information than you"—Louis Seibold in New York World

Coming Down a Tree.

A squirrel comes down a tree head first a cat always tail first because the holding claws of a squirrel are on its hind feet those of a cat on its fore paws, hence the difference in suspension —Exchange

A Boy Prima Donna.

First Boy—You ought to come to the concert our music teacher is goin to give.

Second Boy—You goin to be in?

"Yep. I'm one of the prummer donnas. We're goin to give a cantata"

"Wot's that?"

"Oh, it's all about sunshine and storms and picnics and harvesters and all sorts of country things. It's great."

"Do you sing all that?"

"N-o. I'm only in the first scene, 'Early Mornin on th' Farm.'"

"Wot do you do?"

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TO CHANGE THE GRADE ON THE EASTERLY AND WESTERLY SIDES OF PENN AVENUE FROM THE CENTRE OF DELAWARE AVENUE TO THE CENTRE OF CLEVELAND AVENUE

The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance the grade of Penn Avenue shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning in the centre of Delaware Avenue at an elevation of 98 63 thence descending in a southerly direction, at a ratio of thirty-four hundredths of a foot per one hundred feet for a distance of three hundred and eighty feet to the centre of Cleveland Avenue

SEC 2 Said grade as above described being the centre or crown of the Avenue The gutters to be six inches deep That the curb grades are to approximate three tenths of a foot lower than the elevations given for the grade for the centre of streets

SEC 3 Any portion of any ordinance in any way or manner conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance is hereby repealed

Enacted into an ordinance at the Council Chamber in the Borough of Morrisville, this twenty first day of September, 1892

JOHN W LIVINGSTON, President of Council

Attest ISAAC PARSONS, Sr Secretary

Approved this 24th day of September 1892

JOHN W LIVINGSTON, Burgess of Morrisville Borough

An Ordinance

TO ESTABLISH THE GRADE ON THE NORTHERLY AND SOUTHERLY SIDES OF CLEVELAND AVENUE FROM THE CENTRE OF MANOR ROAD TO THE CENTRE OF RIVERVIEW AVENUE

The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance, the grade of Cleveland Avenue shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning in the centre of the Manor Road at an elevation of 94 57 thence ascending in an easterly direction at a ratio of one and five tenths feet per one hundred feet for a distance of three hundred feet, thence descending in an easterly direction at a ratio of five tenths of a foot per one hundred feet for a distance of five hundred and eleven feet thence descending in an easterly direction at a ratio of two feet per one hundred feet, for a distance of two hundred feet to the centre of Riverview Avenue

SEC 2 Said grade as above described being the centre or crown of the Avenue The gutters to be seven inches deep That the curb grades are to approximate three tenths of a foot lower than the elevations given for the grade for the centre of streets

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The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance the grade of Washington Street from Green Street to Vansant Avenue shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning at the South Curb Line of Green Street at an elevation of 89 the ascending in a southerly direction at a ratio of six (6) inches to the one hundred (100) feet for a distance of 142 10 feet to an elevation of 98 8 thence descending in the same direction at a ratio of six (6) inches to the one hundred (100) feet for a distance of fifty (50) feet more or less to the South Curb Line of Vansant Avenue at an elevation of 95 12

SEC 2 Said grade as above described being the centre or crown of the Street Gutters to be six (6) inches deep That the curb grades are to approximate three tenths of a foot lower than the elevations given for the grade for the centre of streets

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JOHN W LIVINGSTON, Burgess of Morrisville Borough

An Ordinance

TO ESTABLISH THE GRADE ON THE NORTHERLY AND SOUTHERLY SIDES OF MANOR ROAD FROM THE CENTRE OF RIVERVIEW AVENUE TO THE CENTRE OF DELAWARE AVENUE AND TO ESTABLISH A GRADE ON THE EASTERLY AND WESTERLY SIDES OF RIVERVIEW AVENUE FROM THE CENTRE OF MANOR ROAD TO THE CENTRE OF DELAWARE AVENUE, AND TO ESTABLISH A GRADE ON THE EASTERLY AND WESTERLY SIDES OF RIVERVIEW AVENUE FROM THE CENTRE OF VANSANT AVENUE TO THE CENTRE OF DELAWARE AVENUE

The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance the grade of Riverview Avenue shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning in the centre of Vansant Avenue, at an elevation of 87 13, thence descending in a southerly direction at a ratio of sixty-five hundredths of a foot per one hundred feet for a distance of three hundred and eighty feet more or less to the centre of Delaware Avenue, at an elevation of 94 63 Thence the Avenue makes an offset about one hundred and fifty feet westerly and thence beginning in the centre of Delaware Avenue at an elevation of 94 63 thence descending in a southerly direction at a ratio of one and four tenths feet per one hundred feet for a distance of three hundred and eighty feet to the centre of Cleveland Avenue

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An Ordinance

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TO CHANGE THE GRADE ON THE EASTERLY AND WESTERLY SIDES OF WASHINGTON STREET FROM THE CENTRE OF VANSANT AVENUE TO THE CENTRE OF DELAWARE AVENUE

The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance the grade of Washington Street shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning in the centre of Vansant Avenue at an elevation of 88 63, thence descending in a southerly direction at a ratio of four tenths of a foot per one hundred feet for a distance of one hundred and eighty feet more or less to the centre of Delaware Avenue

SEC 2 Said grade as above described being the centre or crown of the Avenue Gutters to be eight inches deep That the curb grades are to approximate three tenths of a foot lower than the elevation given for the grade for the centre of streets

SEC 3 Any portion of any ordinance in any way or manner conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance is hereby repealed

Enacted into an ordinance at the Council Chamber in the Borough of Morrisville this Twenty first day of September 1892

JOHN W LIVINGSTON, President of Council

Attest ISAAC PARSONS Sr Secretary

Approved this 26th day of September 1892

JOHN W LIVINGSTON, Burgess of Morrisville Borough

An Ordinance

TO CHANGE THE GRADE ON THE NORTHERLY AND SOUTHERLY SIDES OF DELAWARE AVENUE FROM THE CENTRE OF MANOR ROAD TO THE CENTRE OF RIVERVIEW AVENUE

The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance the grade of Delaware Avenue shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning at the centre of the Manor Road at an elevation of 94 45 thence ascending in an easterly direction at a ratio of one and five tenths feet per one hundred feet for a distance of five hundred and eleven feet thence descending in an easterly direction at a ratio of two feet per one hundred feet for a distance of three hundred feet thence descending in an easterly direction at a ratio of four tenths of a foot per one hundred feet for a distance of one hundred and fifty feet to the middle of Riverview Avenue

SEC 2 Said grade as above described being the centre or crown of the Avenue Gutters to be seven inches deep That the curb grades are to approximate three tenths of a foot lower than the elevation given for the grade for the centre of streets

SEC 3 Any portion of any ordinance in any way or manner conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance is hereby repealed

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Attest ISAAC PARSONS Sr Secretary

Approved this 26th day of September 1892

JOHN W LIVINGSTON, Burgess of Morrisville Borough

An Ordinance

TO CHANGE THE GRADE ON THE EASTERLY AND WESTERLY SIDES OF MANOR ROAD, FROM THE SOUTH CURB LINE OF GREEN STREET TO THE BOROUGH LINE

The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville do ordain that after the passage of this ordinance the grade of Manor Road shall be as follows

SEC 1 Beginning on the South Curb Line of Green Street at an elevation of 85 48 thence descending in a southerly direction at a ratio of four-tenths of a foot per one hundred feet more or less, to the Borough Line

SEC 2 Said grade as above described being the centre or crown of the Avenue Gutters to be eight inches deep That the curb grades are to approximate three tenths of a foot lower than the elevation given for the grade for the centre of streets

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Bristol Borough School Tax Notice!

TAX PAYERS who wish to avoid having to pay an additional five per cent must pay their School Tax to the District Treasurer, at his office on Dorrance Street, on or before the 20th day of 10th Month, (October) 1892

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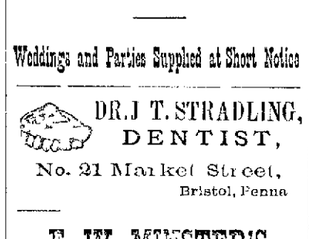

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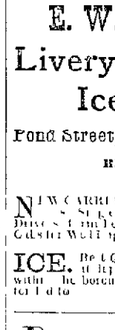

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